



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1661
PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 07648.0025

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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 GERALD S. PULLMAN) Group Art Unit: 1661
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Application No.: 10/076,633) Examiner: Wendy C. Haas
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Filed: February 19, 2002)
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For: METHODS FOR INCREASING)
 CONIFER SOMATIC EMBRYO) Confirmation No. 2604
 INITIATION, CAPTURE AND)
 MULTIPLICATION)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 4, 2004, the period for response having been extended to October 4, 2004 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.